BEFORE THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

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IN THE MATTER OF:)
Allstate Indemnity Company)
2775 Sanders Road, Suite A5)
Northbrook, Illinois 60062,)
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and)
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Allstate Insurance Company)
2775 Sanders Road, Suite A5)
Northbrook, Illinois 60062.)

ORDER

This matter is before me pursuant to the rate and rule filings for homeowners' coverages submitted by Allstate Insurance Company and Allstate Indemnity Company on or about September 17, 2004. These filings sought overall rate increases of 6.8% for Allstate Insurance Company and 6.6% for Allstate Indemnity Company and were filed pursuant to the provisions of S.C. Code § 38-73-220. I issued an Order on April 8, 2005 stating that the approval of the Allstate Indemnity Company filing was withdrawn and an Amended Order on May 20, 2005 stating that approval of the Allstate Insurance Company filing was withdrawn.

Both Allstate Insurance Company and Allstate Indemnity Company have agreed to reduce their overall rate increases in these filings to 5.3% and 5.2%, respectively, with ninety (90) days from this Order to implement the reduced rates. Accordingly, the referenced September 17, 2004 rate filings for homeowners' coverages by Allstate Insurance Company and Allstate Indemnity Company are approved, as amended, and both Allstate Insurance Company and Allstate Indemnity Company shall implement the revised rates on a prospective basis within ninety (90) days of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED

Eleanor Kitzman

Director

South Carolina Department of Insurance

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August 1, 2005